

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Yoshitsugu MORITA et al. Confirmation No.: 8735

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Examiner: LOEWE, Robert S.

For: Curable Silicone Composition And Cured Product Thereof

RESPONSE

Mailstop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action from the Examiner dated July 29, 2009, please consider the accompanying remarks and Declaration under 37 CFR §1.132 executed by inventors Morita and Ueki that establishes that the relevant disclosure of PCT Pub. No. WO 03/072656 is the inventors' own work. Although no claims are currently amended, a complete listing of all claims pending in the application is included for the Examiner's convenience. This amendment is filed with the appropriate fee for a one-month extension of time, and it is believed that no further fees are presently due.